

PLASTIC

Must be crushed

PET and HDPE (#1 and #2) – Look on the bottom of the container for the plastics number with the recycling arrows

Generally this includes soft drink, water bottles

Oil and anti-freeze containers

Water, milk and juice containers

Laundry, bleach and cleaning containers

CAPS must BE REMOVED and placed in the trash. If you leave caps on plastic bottles, they will throw them in the trash instead of recycling them!

NON – ACCEPTABLE

Plastic grocery bags Sandwich baggies

5 gallon pails Needles

Lids and caps Plastic Silverware

Brittle dairy food containers

GLASS

Clear, brown, green, and blue glass

Food and beverage containers

NON – ACCEPTABLE

Ceramic cups and plates Light Bulbs

Drinking glasses Mirror Glass

Heat resistant ovenware Window pane glass

METALS

Aluminum cans (soft drink, juice & other beverage cans)

Steel (tin and soup cans)

Aluminum pie tins and clean foil

Aerosol cans (empty) that did not contain paint or pesticide

NON – ACCEPTABLE

Paint Cans Gas Cans

Any container that had previously contained a hazardous or toxic material

PAPER (CLEAN AND DRY)

Newspaper Magazines

Phonebooks Old mail

Greeting Cards Flyers

Brochures Folders

Paper bags Catalogues

Old Statements

PAPERBOARD

Paper food boxes – NO PLASTIC LINERS

Paper towel or toilet paper rolls (no tissue attached)

Writing pad backs

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD

Any CLEAN waffled cardboard box not exceeding 2' x 2' when bundled

NON – ACCEPTABLE

Used tissues Waxed paper

Plastic bags Waxy cardboard

Soiled or greasy paper Juice boxes

HOW TO PREPARE MIXED PAPER FOR COLLECTION

Remove all plastic bags

Remove any non-acceptable items and discard with trash

Place Mixed papers in any Brown Paper Bag, or bundle with string. Then placed "bagged papers on top of your commingled containers and set out on your collection day.

Check the weather forecast for high winds or rain and keep your recyclables in for another week.

Keep your paper separate from the cans, plastic, and glass. Put commingle (glass, metal, plastic) in the bin and then stack papers on the top of your bin.

OTHER FREMONT RECYCLING & TRASH REMINDERS

- ◇ Be sure that you properly rinse your recyclables. They will not pick items that are dirty.
- ◇ Remove caps and covers and dispose of them in the trash.
- ◇ Bundle paper items together or put them in paper bags within your recycling bin.
- ◇ Plastics must all be CRUSHED before being placed in your bin. Only # 1 and # 2 plastics are recyclable.
- ◇ Corrugated cardboard must be broken down to 2 x 2 feet square or less and tied (bundled).
- ◇ Only clean cardboard is recyclable. Pizza boxes with any oil or grease on them cannot be recycled. (This may mean you can recycle the top of the box only).
- ◇ NO waxy cardboard is recyclable. This includes wax-coated juice containers, milk cartons, etc.
- ◇ No cardboard with plastic attached to it is recyclable. This would include oatmeal canisters, peanut/cashew canisters, or breadcrumb cans which are metal and cardboard together.
- ◇ Foil drink packs are NOT recyclable.
- ◇ No plastic bags can be used within your recycling bin (ie: for bundling of paper goods). Please use brown paper bags, or stack all paper items together in one part of the bin.
- ◇ Broken drinking glasses or dishes, lightbulbs or ceramics cannot be recycled.
- ◇ The orange recycling bins were no longer available when the Town last placed an order, so shortly you will notice that there are some blue bins on Fremont streets. These replace the orange bins, once the orange ones are gone from our stock.
- ◇ 8 bags or 4 barrels are the weekly limit per household.
- ◇ All trash must be bagged before putting it in trash cans or other containers. This will help to eliminate stray trash from separating and blowing.
- ◇ Styrofoam of any kind is NOT RECYCLABLE
- ◇ Have your recycling and MSW at the curb by 6:00 am on your collection day.

If you have questions or need further information, please contact Carl Hussey at Cape Disposal by calling 778-7150.